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INFO AMCONSUL ALEXANDRIA

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AMCONSUL PORT SAID SENDS

E.O. 11652: NA
TAGS: PINT, EG
SUBJ: PPEBISCITE CONDUCTED IN ATMOSPHERE OF CALM IN PORT SAID AS
CITY RETURNS TO NORMAL AFTER JANUARY RIOTS

1. PLEBISCITE ON SECURITY MEASURES ANNOUNCED FEBRUARY 3RD BY
PRESIDENT SADAT PROVOKED LITTLE DISCUSSION OR DEBATE LOCALLY
AMONG MIDDLE CLASS VOTERS. GENERAL FEELING SEEMED TO BE
THAT EGYPT'S FRAGILE SOCIETY COULD NOT BEAR REPETITION
OF JANUARY 19TH RIOTS AND THAT SECURITY MEASURES WERE
REASONABLE RESPONSE.

2. PORT SAID SEEMS TO HAVE RECAPTURED ITS PRE-RIOT CALM
AFTER SEVERAL WEEKS OF ANXIOUS WAITING. GIVEN THE LEVEL
OF CONCERN EXPRESSED TO ME BY PORT SAID AS RESULT OF
DISTURBANCES IN CAIRO AND ALEXANDRIA, I WOULD IMAGINE THAT
PLEBISCITE'S OVERWHELMING ENDORSEMENT OF THE SECURITY
MEASURES ACCURATELY REFLECTS FEELINGS OF AT LEAST THIS
CITY'S MIDDLE CLASS. SIGNED SURBER.
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